Hidden Gems in Cocoa and Cocoa Touch

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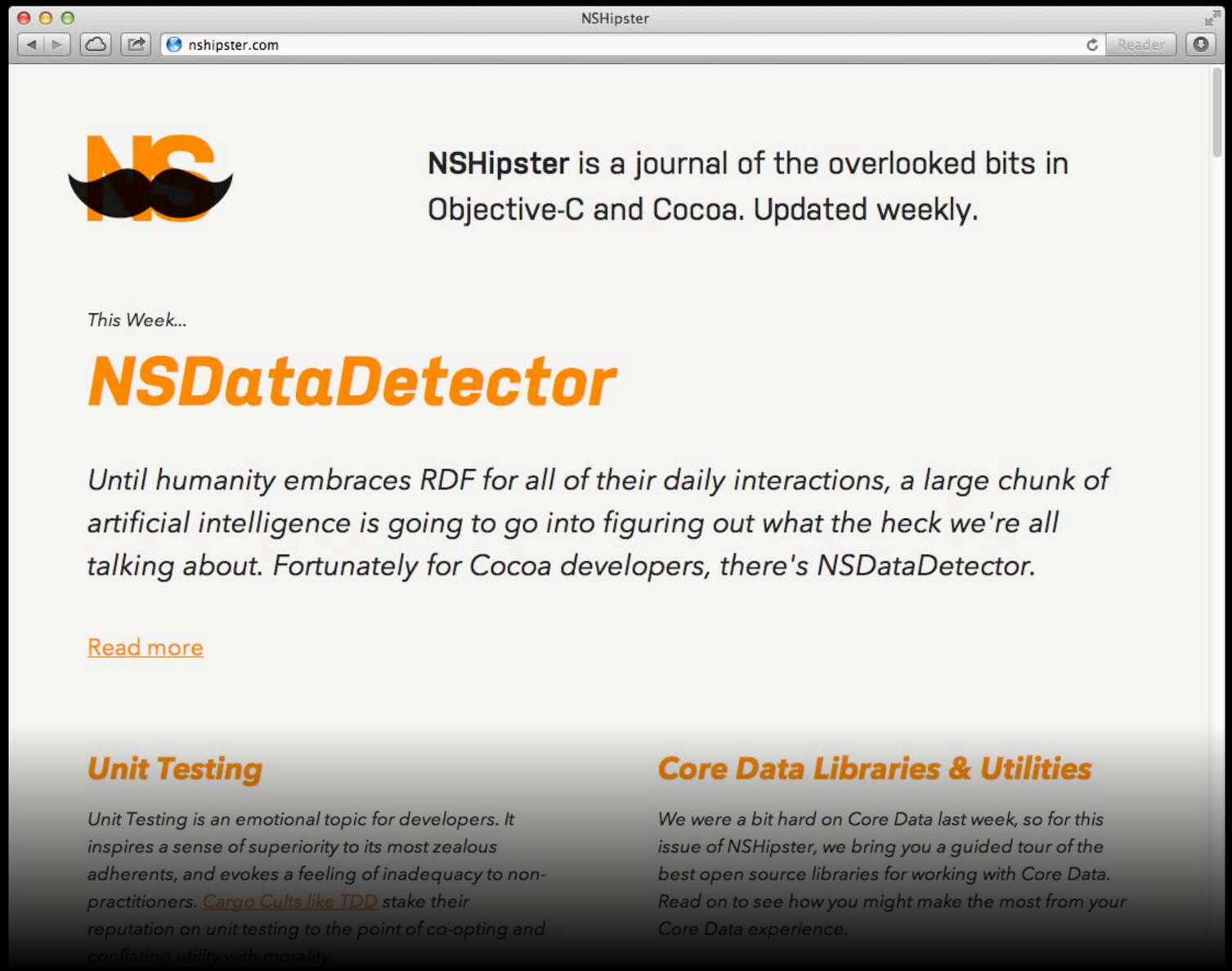

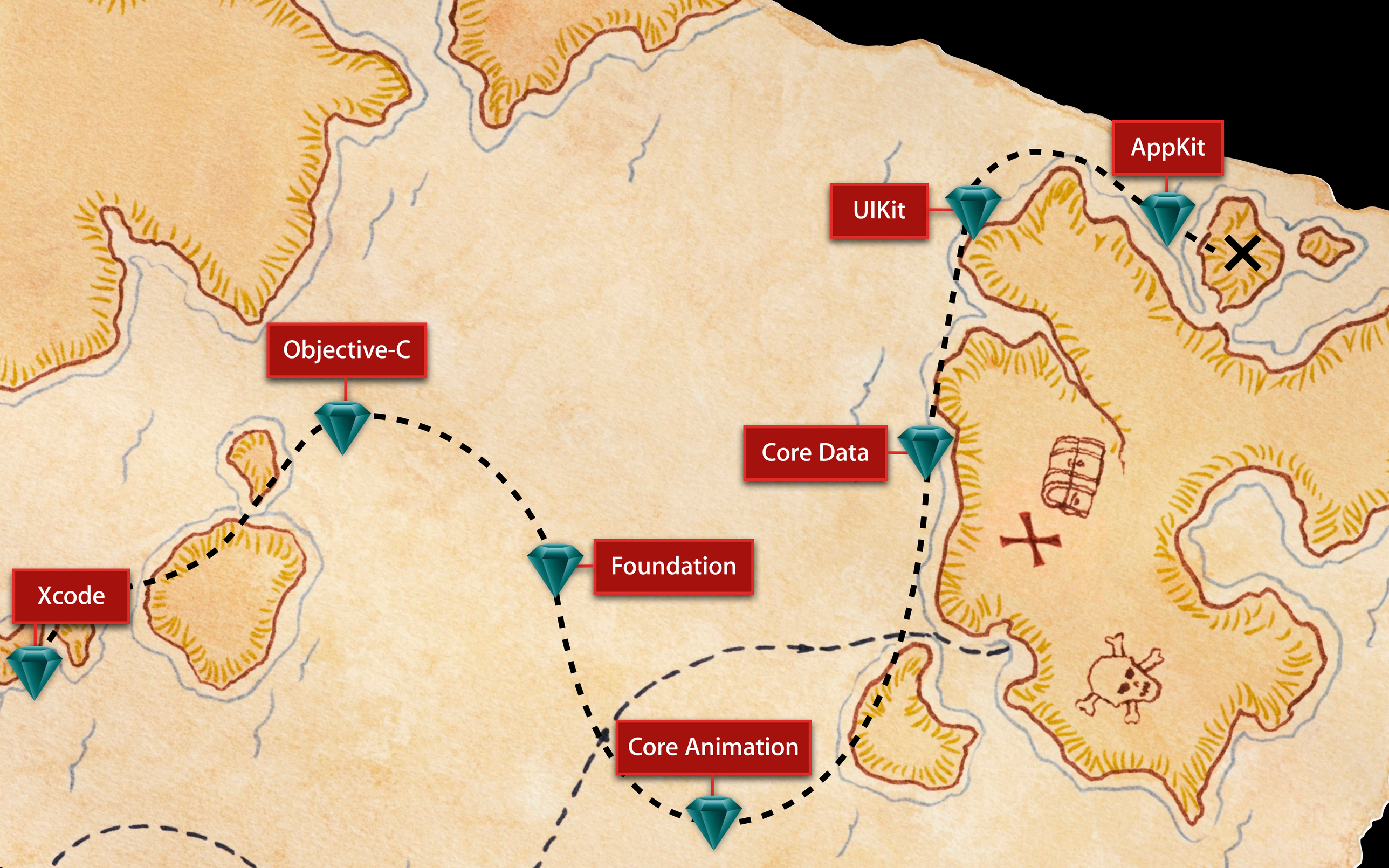
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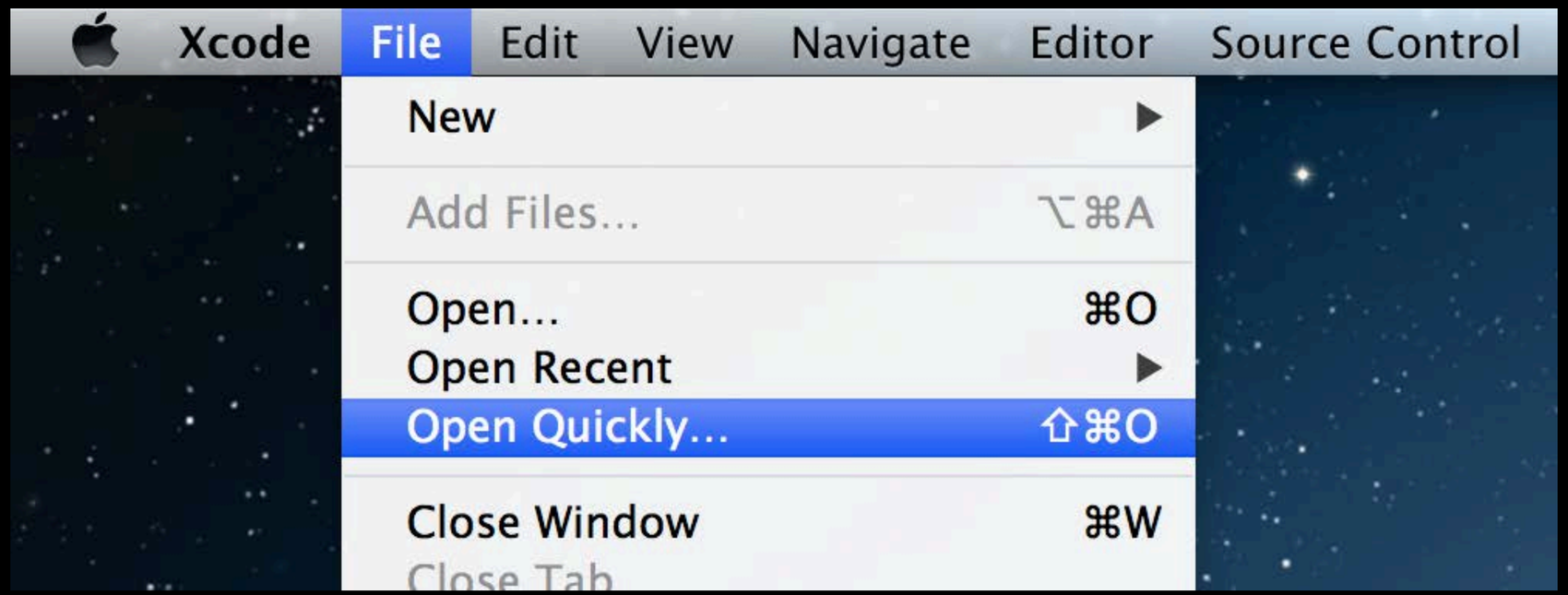

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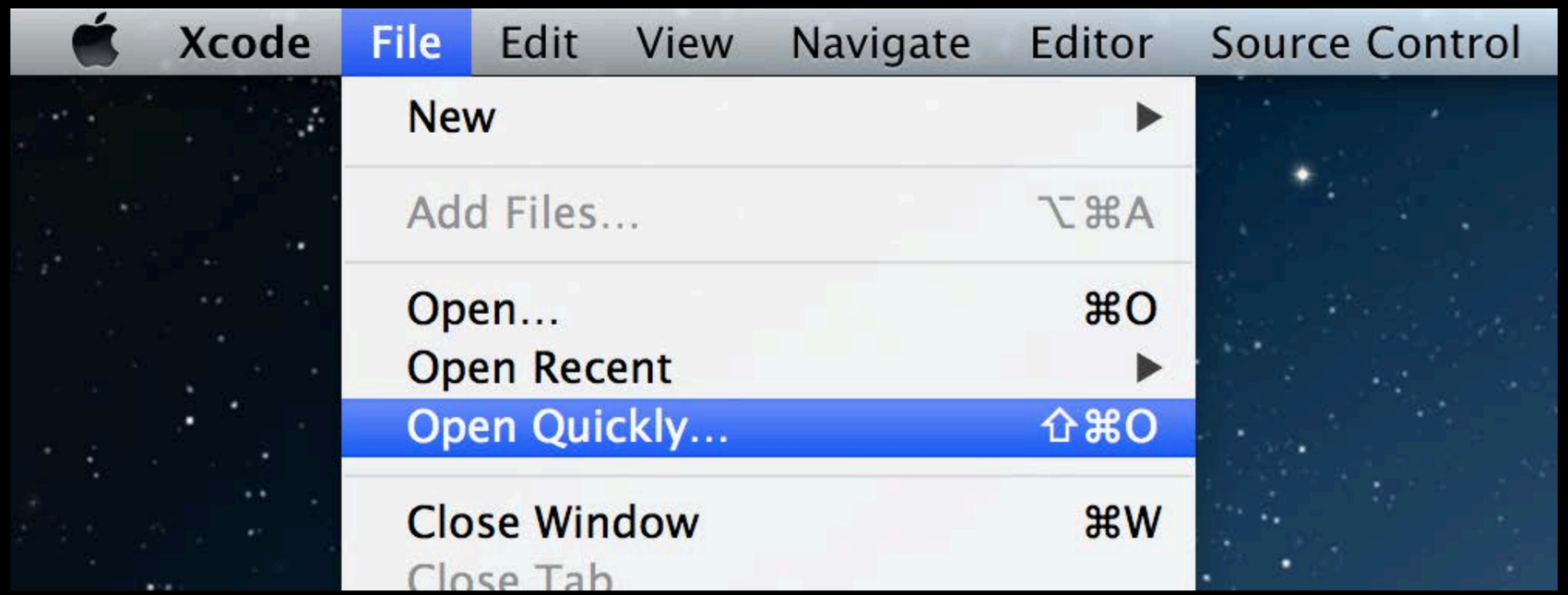

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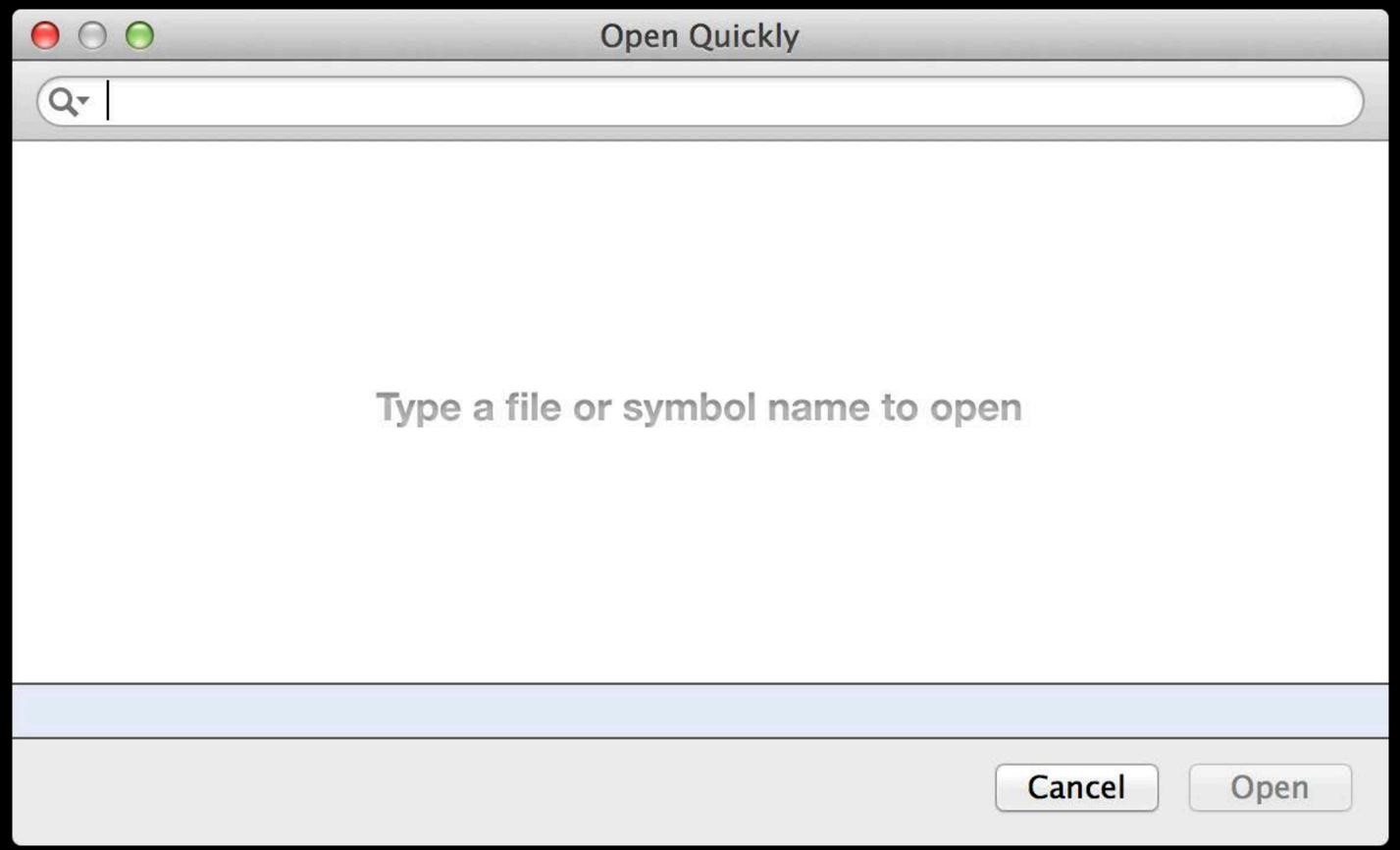

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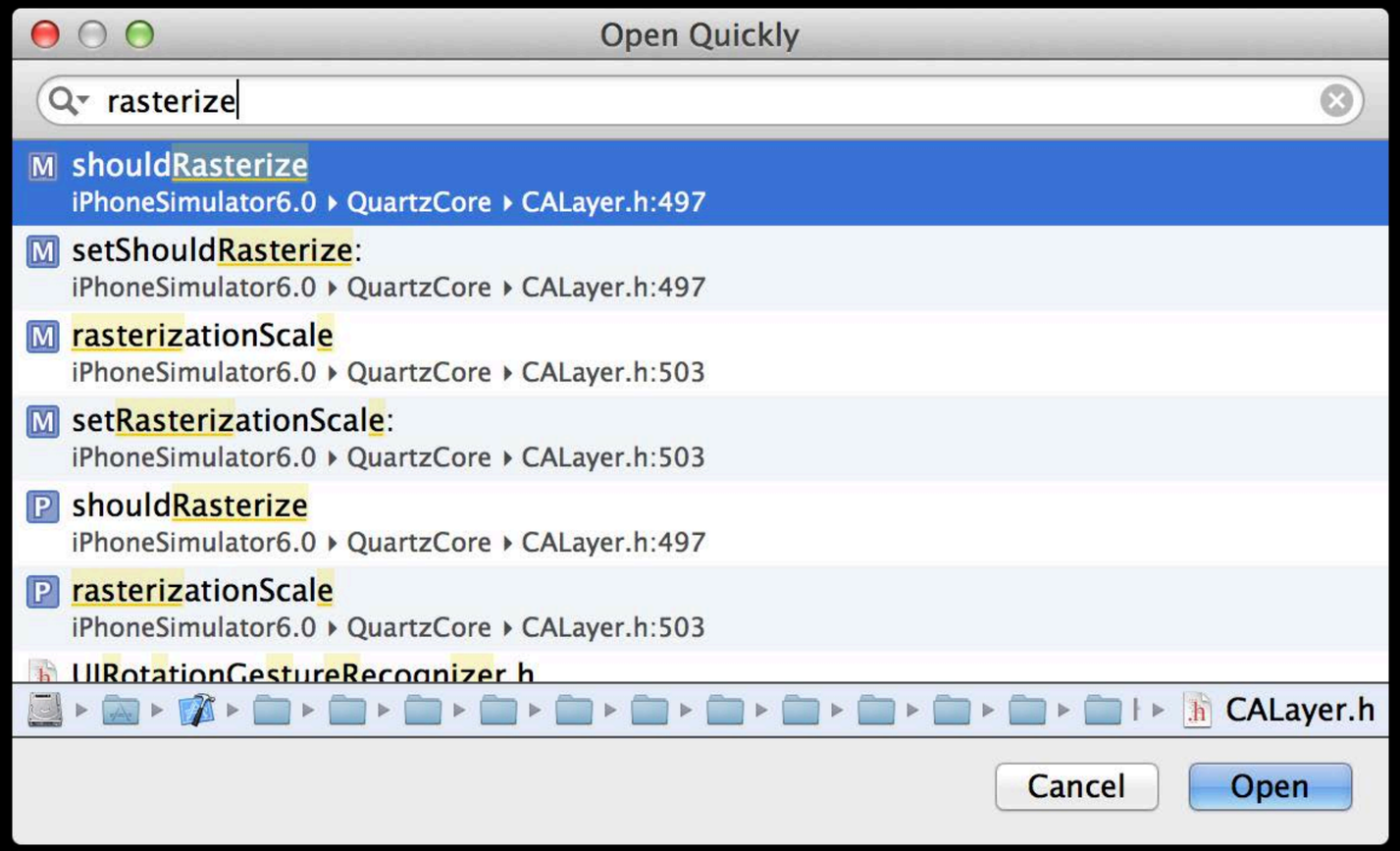

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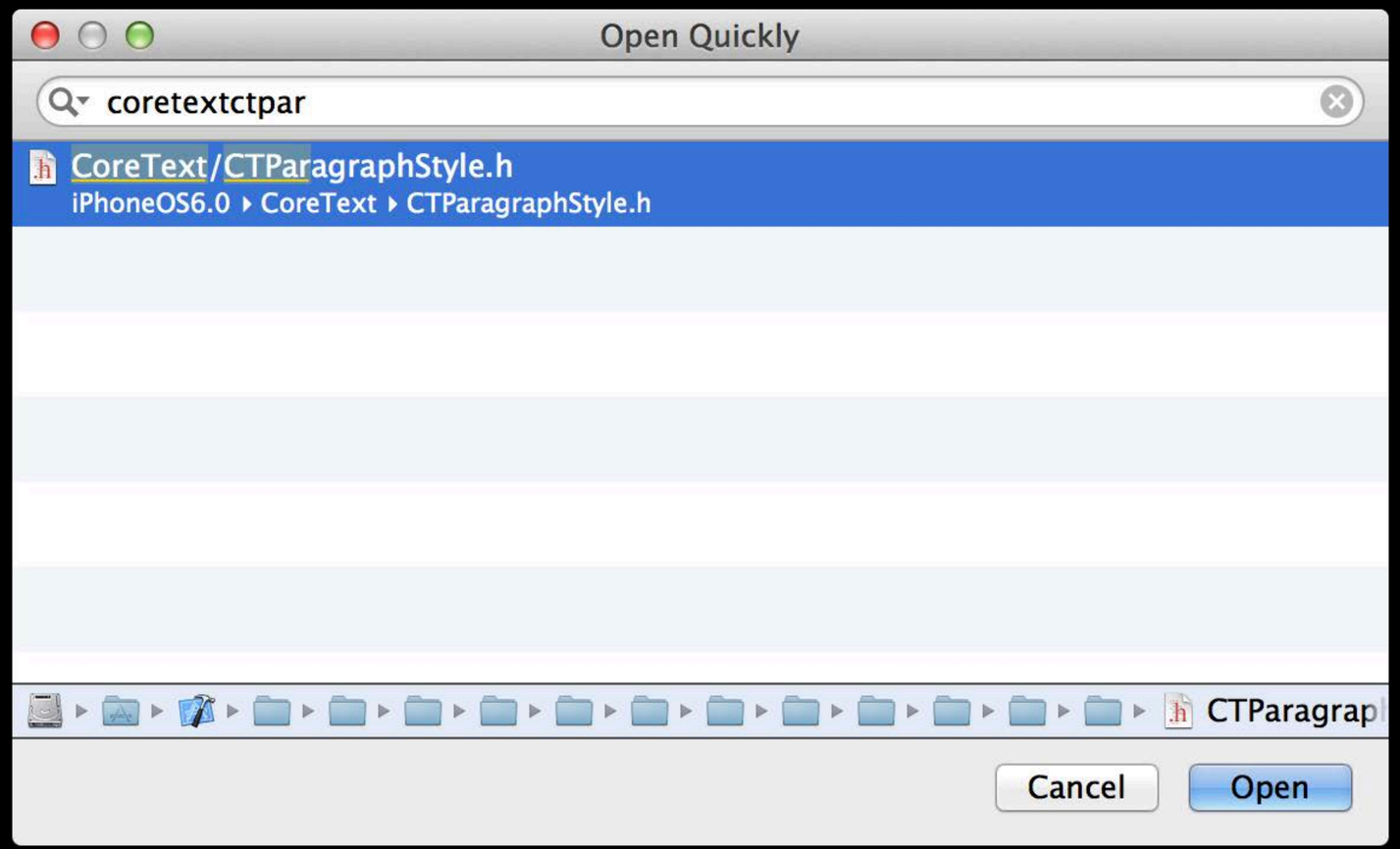

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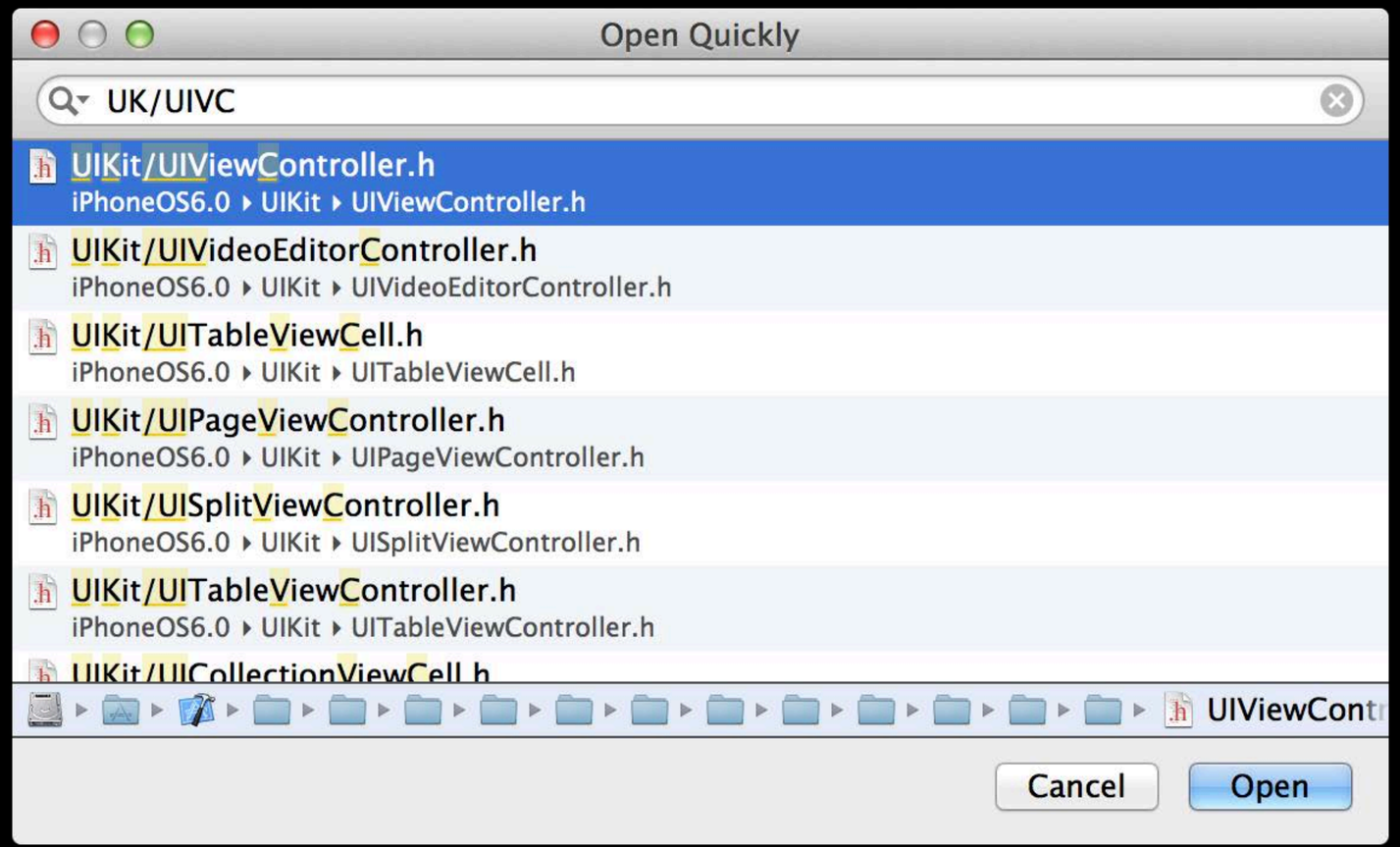

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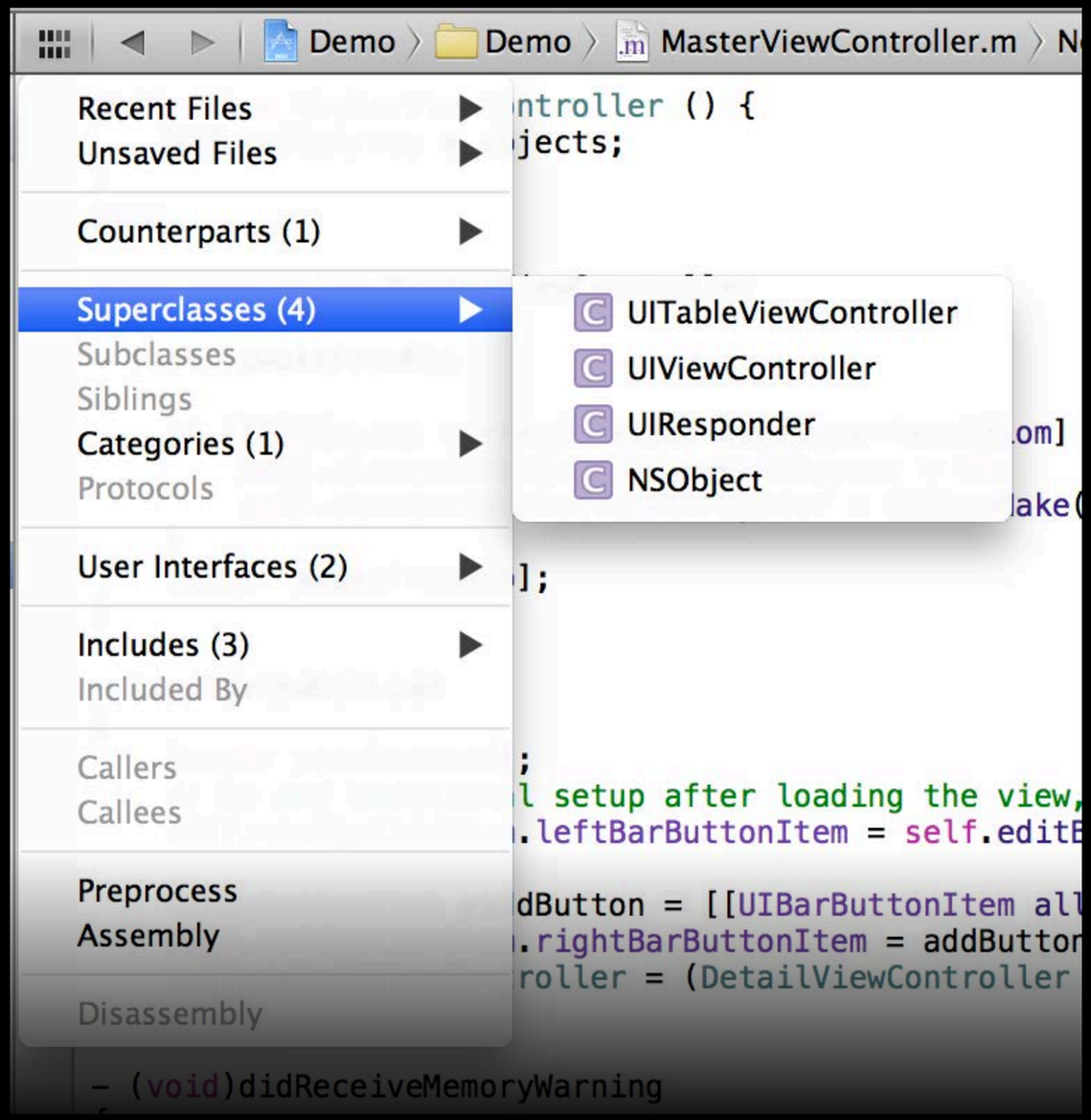

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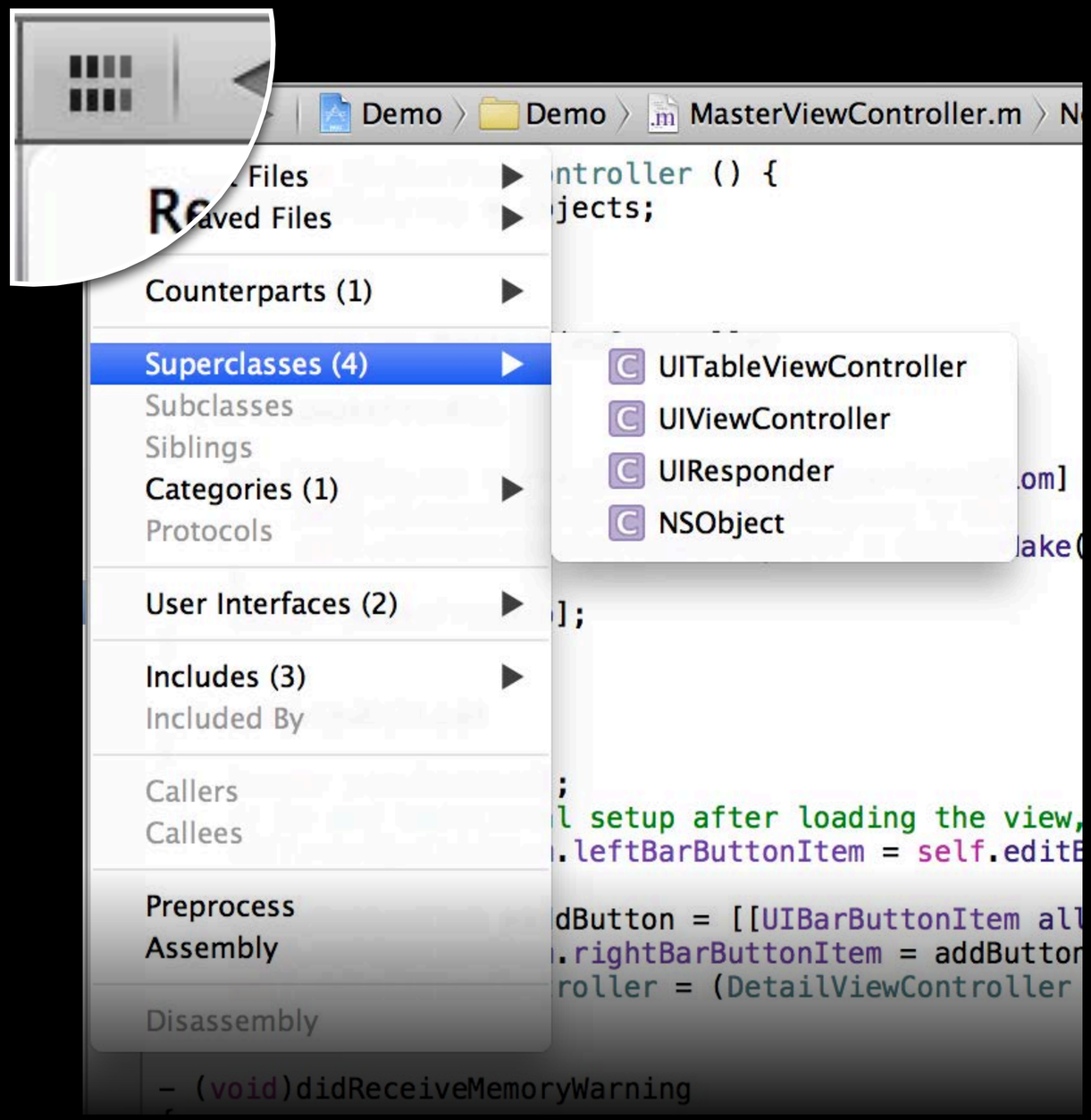

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Breakpoint Actions

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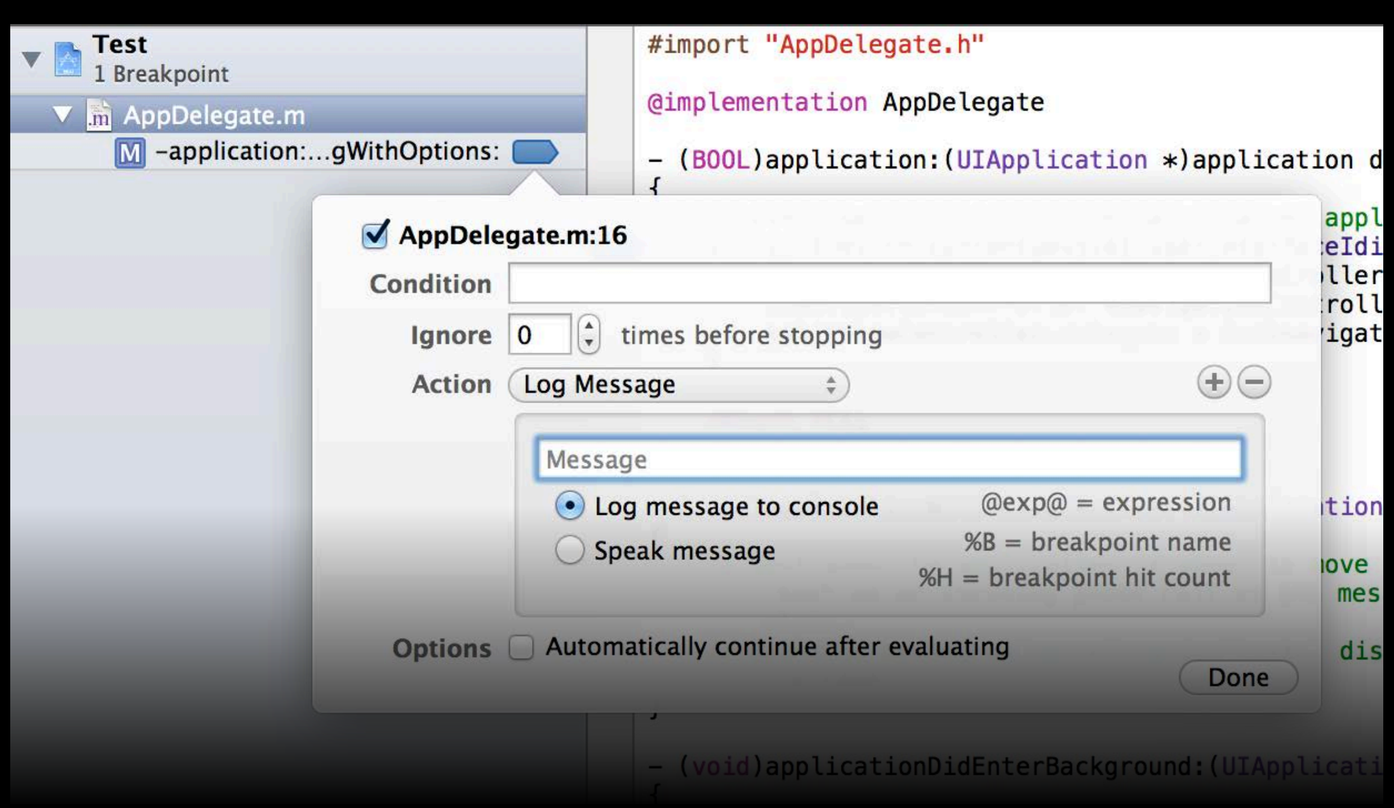
- Less time recompiling
- Log message, trigger command
- Conditionals



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Debug description

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- Use with Breakpoint Actions!

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Recursive description

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Objective-C

Language tips

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Subscripting

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Subscripting

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Custom-indexed subscripting

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- (id)objectAtIndexedSubscript:(NSUInteger)idx {
    return [self.indexedValues objectAtIndex:idx];
}

- (void)setObject:(id)obj atIndexedSubscript:(NSUInteger)idx {
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@interface Person : NSObject
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- (id)objectAtKeyedSubscript:(id <NSCopying>)key;
```

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@interface Person : NSObject
@property (strong) NSMutableDictionary *keyedValues;
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Reduce code noise

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- Private declarations not necessary since Xcode 4.3

```
@interface Example (PrivateMethods)
- (NSString *)privateStatusStringForKey:(NSString *)key;
@end

@implementation Example
- (NSString *)currentStatusString {
    return [self privateStatusStringForKey:self.currentKey];
}

- (NSString *)privateStatusStringForKey:(NSString *)key {
    self.statusStringsByKey[key];
}
@end
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}

- (NSString *)privateStatusStringForKey:(NSString *)key {
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}
@end
```

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Reduce code noise

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Demo

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Data model tips

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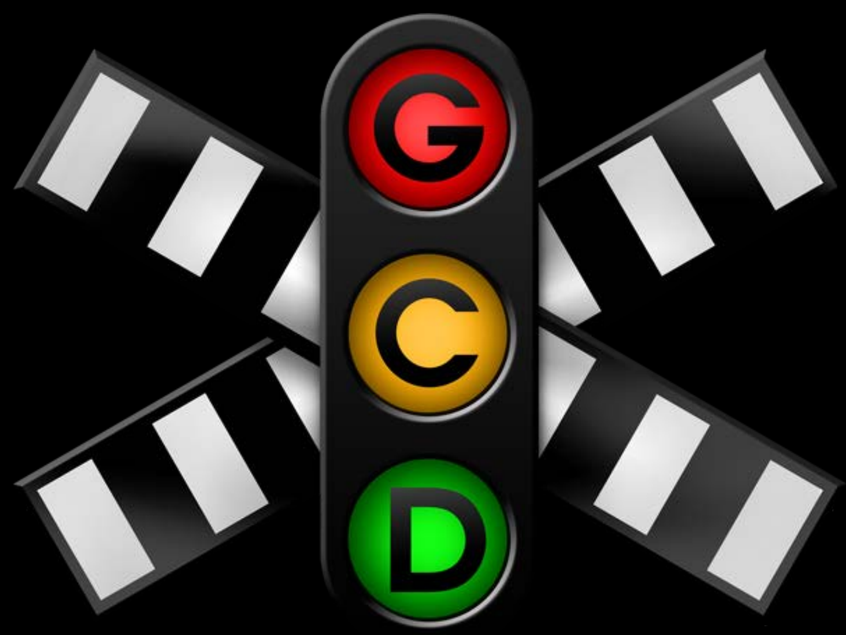

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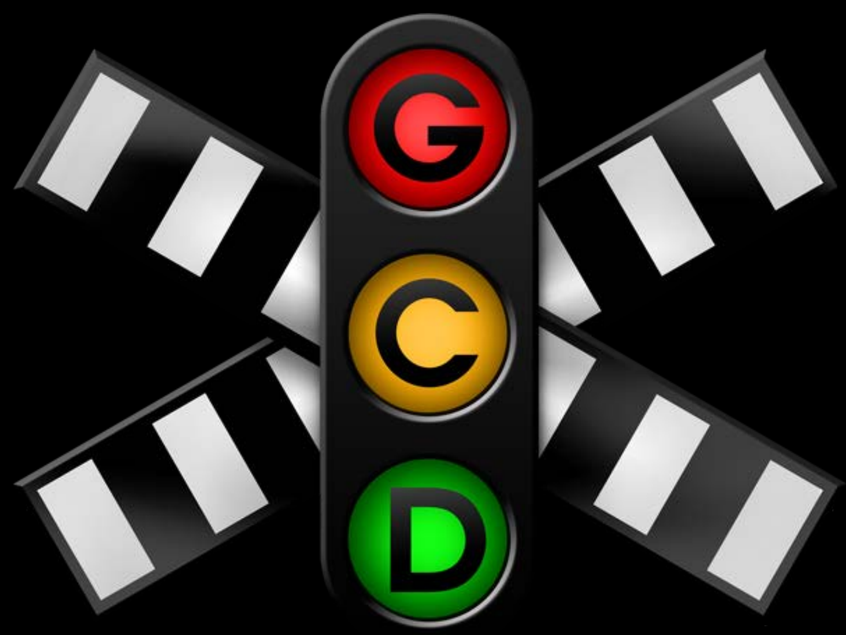

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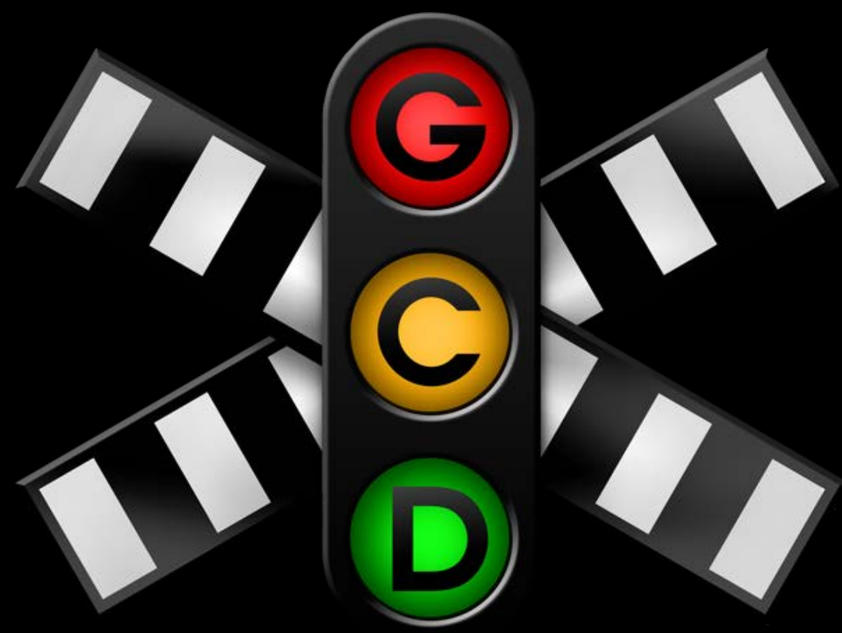

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```
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completion:(void(^)(BOOL))block {
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```
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    WWDCSetFavoriteOperation *operation;
    operation =[[WWDCSetFavoriteOperation alloc] initWithSuccessBlock:block];
    operation.favorite = status;
```

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}
```

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NSExpression

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- Stand back, I'm going to try math

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```
NSString *text = @"3 + 5 * 4e10";
```

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```
NSString *text = @"3 + 5 * 4e10";
NSExpression *e = [NSExpression expressionWithFormat:text, nil];
```

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NSExpression

- Stand back, I'm going to try math

```
NSString *text = @"3 + 5 * 4e10";
NSExpression *e = [NSExpression expressionWithFormat:text, nil];
NSNumber *result = [e expressionValueWithObject:nil context:nil];
```

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```
NSString *text = @"3 + 5 * 4e10";
NSExpression *e = [NSExpression expressionWithFormat:text, nil];
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NSLog(@"result: %@", result);
```

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```

```
result: 200000000003
```

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NSSet and NSOrderedSet

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- Guaranteed uniqueness, fast membership lookup
- Membership cache
- Set calculations

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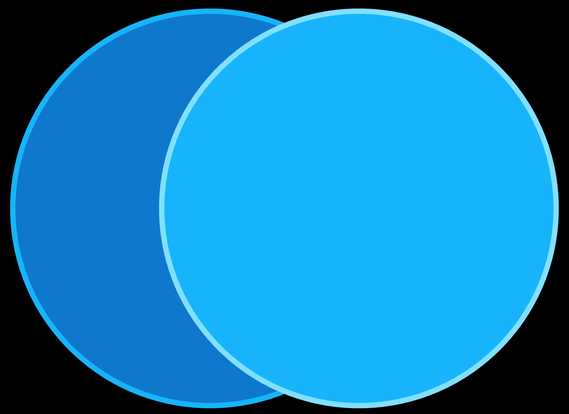

-intersectsSet: == YES

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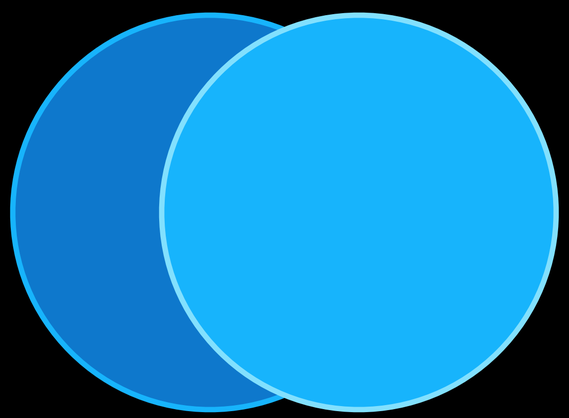

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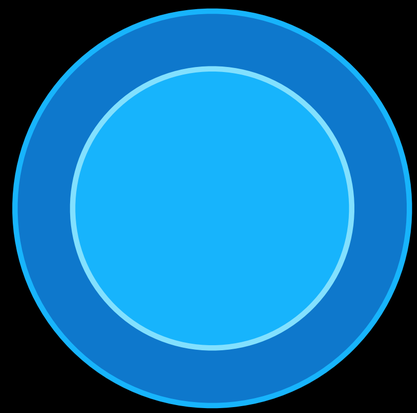

-isSubsetOfSet: == YES

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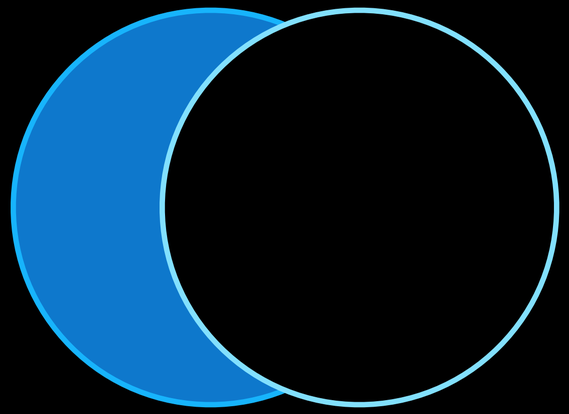

-minusSet:

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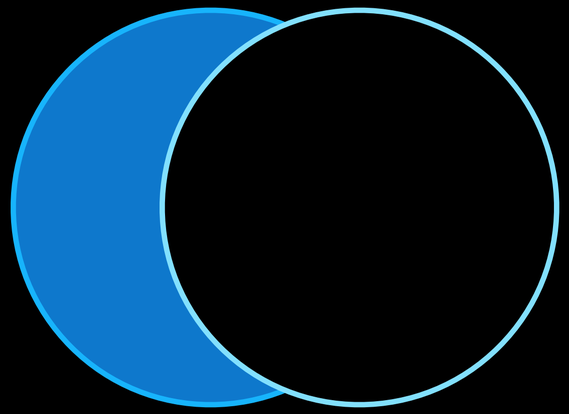

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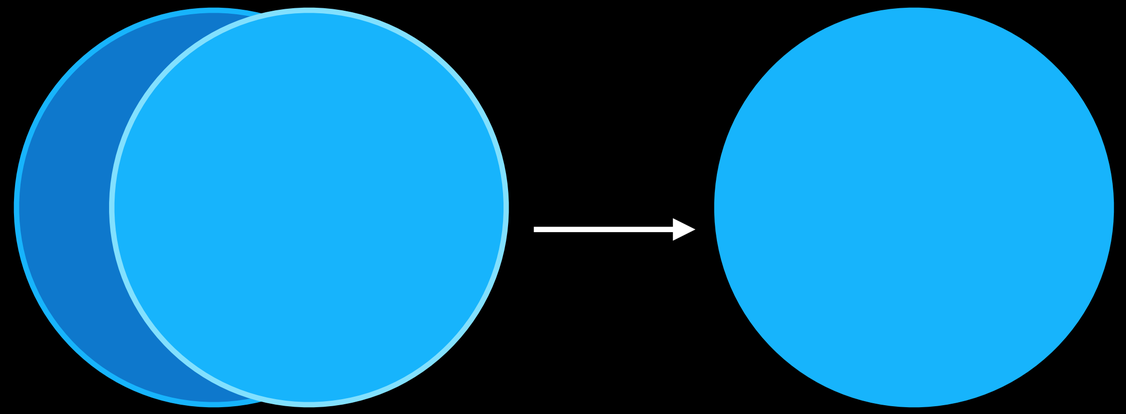

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Collection tricks

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Collection tricks

- Reverse arrays quickly inline

```
NSArray *numbers = @[ @1, @2, @3 ];
NSArray *reversed = numbers.reverseObjectEnumerator.allObjects;
```

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Collection tricks

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- Reverse arrays quickly inline

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- Guarantee a mutable object

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- Guarantee a mutable object

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NSMutableArray *newArray = [NSMutableArray arrayWithArray:unknown];
```

- Declare and enumerate different collection types

```
id<NSFastEnumeration> collection = values;
for (id object in collection) {
    ...
}
```

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NSFastEnumeration to your class

```
@implementation Manager

- (NSUInteger)countByEnumeratingWithState:(NSFastEnumerationState *)state
objects:(__unsafe_unretained id [])buffer count:(NSUInteger)len {

    return [self.subordinates
            countByEnumeratingWithState:state objects:buffer count:len];
}

@end
```

Foundation and Core Foundation

Data model tips

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NSValue

- Scalars
- Structs
  - Ranges
  - Points, sizes, and rects
- Unretained references

NSValue

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NSValue

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```
NSMutableArray *array = [@[] mutableCopy];
array[0] = [NSValue valueWithPoint:CGPointZero];
array[1] = [NSValue valueWithRange:NSMakeRange(3, 17)];
```

NSValue

Tip

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typedef struct RGB {
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} _RGB;
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RGB color = {1.0f, 0.0f, 0.0f};
```

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typedef struct RGB {
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} _RGB;

RGB color = {1.0f, 0.0f, 0.0f};
array[2] = [NSValue valueWithBytes:&color objCType:@encode(RGB)];
```

NSValue

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- object conforms to <NSCopying>

```
NSMutableDictionary *dictionary = [@{} mutableCopy];
dictionary[object] = @42;
```

- object does not conform to <NSCopying>

```
NSMutableDictionary *dictionary = [@{} mutableCopy];
dictionary[[NSValue valueWithNonretainedObject:object]] = @42;
```

Key-Value Coding


```
[employee valueForKey:@"name"];
employee.name;

[employee valueForKeyPath:@"manager.name"];
employee.manager.name;
```

Key-Value Coding

Key-Value Coding


```
NSArray *words = @[@"Alpha", @"Bravo", @"Charlie"];
```

Key-Value Coding


```
NSArray *words = @[@"Alpha", @"Bravo", @"Charlie"];

[words valueForKey:@"uppercaseString"];
// @[@"ALPHA", @"BRAVO", @"CHARLIE"]
```

Key-Value Coding


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NSArray *words = @[@"Alpha", @"Bravo", @"Charlie"];

[words valueForKey:@"uppercaseString"];
// @[@"ALPHA", @"BRAVO", @"CHARLIE"]

[words valueForKey:@"length"];
// @[@5, @5, @7]
```

Key-Value Coding

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```
- (NSDictionary *)dictionaryWithValuesForKeys:(NSArray *)keys;
    NSMutableDictionary *dictionary = [NSMutableDictionary dictionary];
    for (NSString *key in keys) {
        dictionary[key] = [myObject valueForKey:key];
    }
}
```

```
- (void)setValuesForKeysWithDictionary:(NSDictionary *)keyedValues;
    for (NSString *key in dictionary.allKeys) {
    id value = dictionary[key];
    [myObject setValue:value forKey:key];
}
```

KVC Collection Operators


```
[employee valueForKeyPath:@"colleagues.@count"];

[staff valueForKeyPath:@"@avg.salary"];

[week valueForKeyPath:@"@max.temperature"];
```

KVC Collection Operators

- Simple collection operators
- Object operators
- Array and set operators

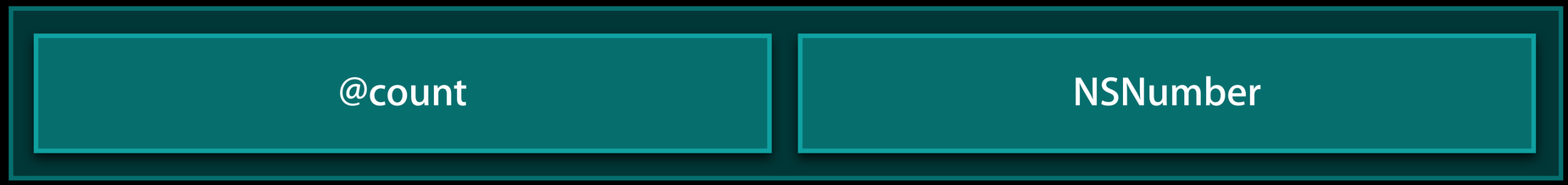
KVC Collection Operators

```
@"collection.@collectionOperator.keypathToProperty"
```

Left Key Path | Collection Operator | Right Key Path

Simple Collection Operators

Simple Collection Operators



Simple Collection Operators

@count	NSNumber
@sum	NSNumber
@avg	NSNumber

Simple Collection Operators

@count	NSNumber

@sum	NSNumber
@avg	NSNumber

@max	id
@min	id

Object Operators

@unionOfObjects	NSArray
@distinctUnionOfObjects	NSArray

KVC Collection Operators

- Remove duplicate values in array without NSSet

```
[array valueForKeyPath:@"@distinctUnionOfObjects.self"]
```

Array and Set Operators

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@unionOfArrays	NSArray or NSSet
@distinctUnionOfArrays	NSArray or NSSet
@distinctUnionOfSets	NSArray or NSSet

Array and Set Operators

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Array and Set Operators

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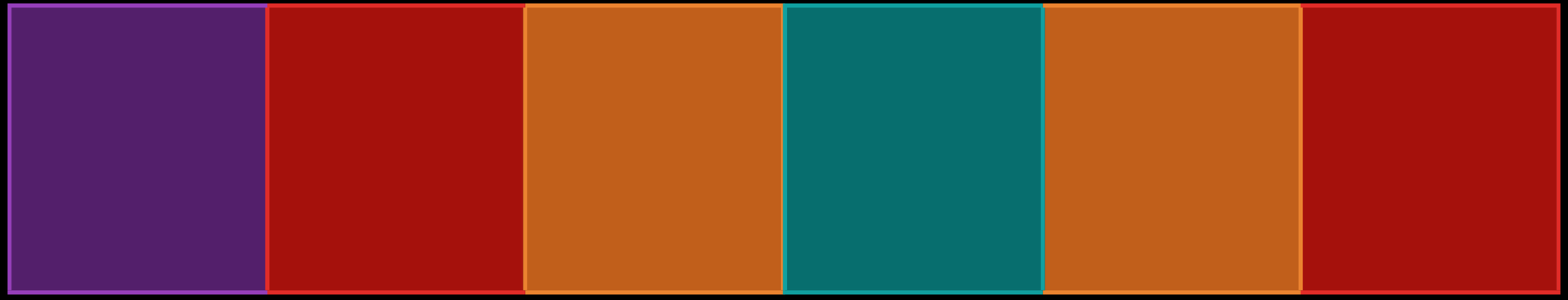
`@unionOfArrays`



Array and Set Operators

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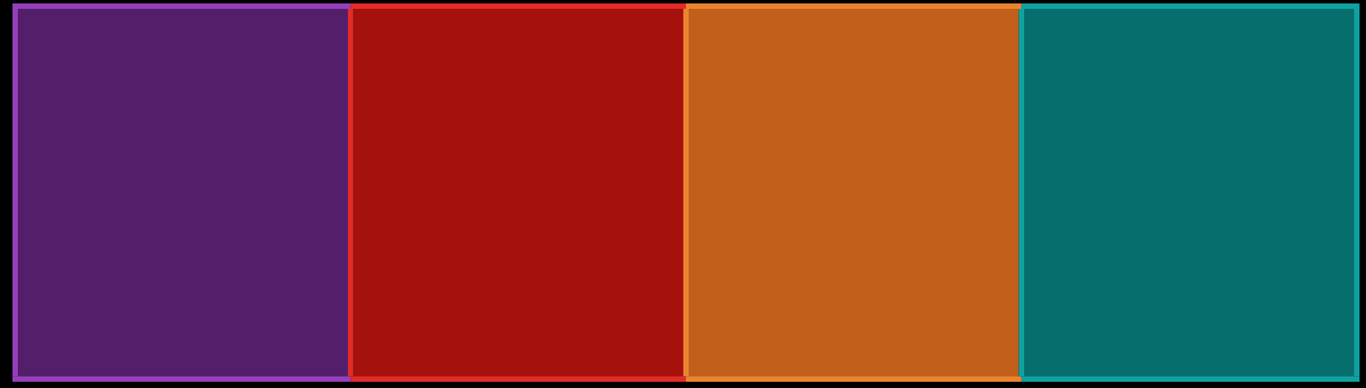
```
@distinctUnionOfArrays
```



NSDataDetector

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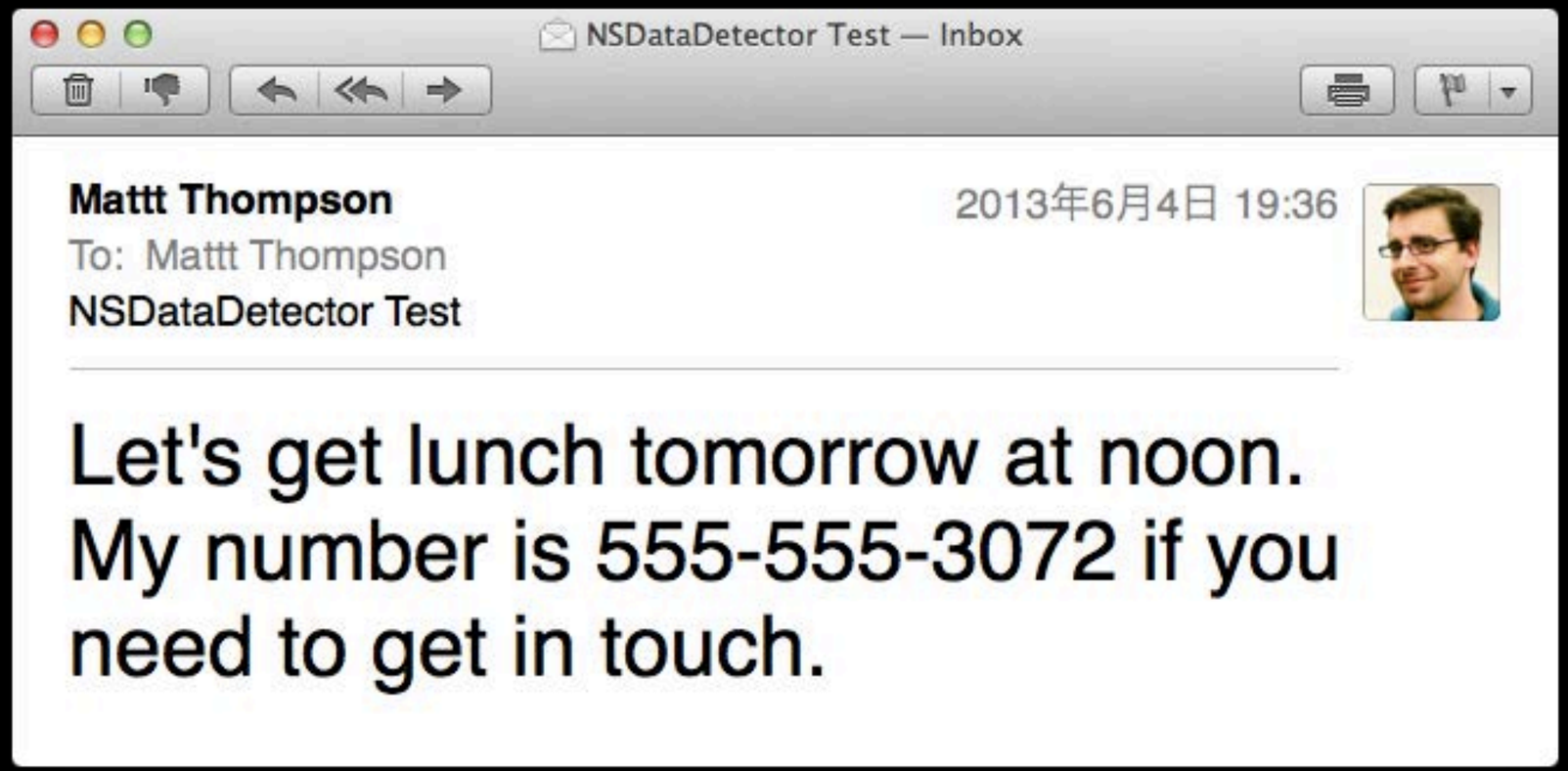

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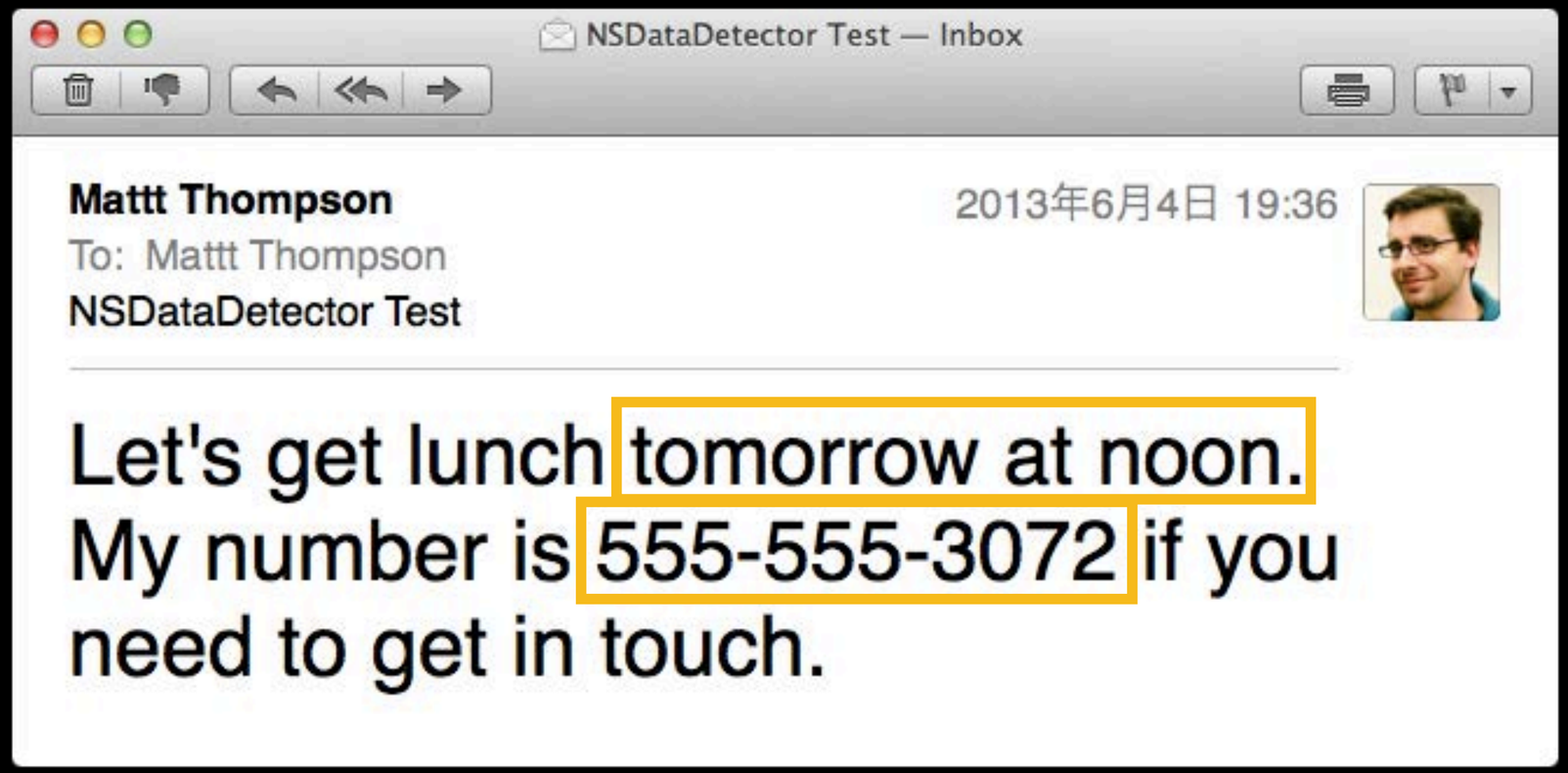

NSDataDetector

- Dates
- Addresses
- Links
- Phone numbers
- Transit information

NSDataDetector

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NSDataDetector


```
NSString *string = @"123 Main St. / (555) 555-5555";
```

NSDataDetector


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NSString *string = @"123 Main St. / (555) 555-5555";

NSError *error;
```

NSDataDetector

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```
NSString *string = @"123 Main St. / (555) 555-5555";

NSError *error;
NSDataDetector *detector = [NSDataDetector
dataDetectorWithTypes:NSTextCheckingTypeLink |
                      NSTextCheckingTypePhoneNumber
                      error:&error];
```

NSDataDetector

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```
NSString *string = @"123 Main St. / (555) 555-5555";

NSError *error;
NSDataDetector *detector = [NSDataDetector
dataDetectorWithTypes:NSTextCheckingTypeLink |
                      NSTextCheckingTypePhoneNumber
                error:&error];

[detector enumerateMatchesInString:string
                           options:kNilOptions
                             range:NSMakeRange(0, [string length])
   usingBlock:^(NSTextCheckingResult *result, NSMatchingFlags flags,
BOOL *stop) {
      NSLog(@"Match: %@", result);
}];
```

CFStringTransform

CFStringTransform

- Strip accents and diacritics

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CFStringTransform

- Strip accents and diacritics
- Name Unicode characters
- Encode XML hex entities
- Transliterate between writing systems

CFStringTransform

```
Boolean CFStringTransform (
    CFMutableStringRef string,
    CFRange *range,
    CFStringRef transform,
    Boolean reverse
);
```

Strip Accents and Diacritics

Éṅġlišh låcks iñterêsţing diaçrïtiČş

Strip Accents and Diacritics

English lacks interesting diacritics

Strip Accents and Diacritics

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```
NSMutableString *string = [@"Énġlišh låcks iñterêsţing diaçrïtičş"
     mutableCopy];

CFStringTransform((__bridge CFMutableStringRef)(string),
    NULL, kCFStringTransformStripCombiningMarks, NO);
```

Name Unicode Characters

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Character	Name

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Character	Name
A	LATIN CAPITAL LETTER A

Name Unicode Characters

Character	Name
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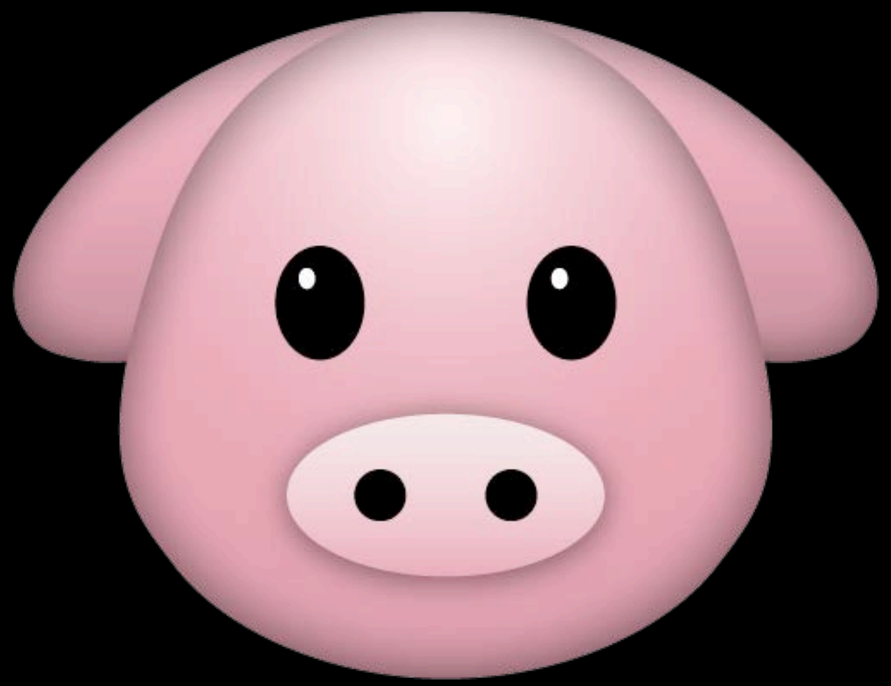
☃	SNOWMAN

Name Unicode Characters



Name Unicode Characters


```
NSMutableString *string = [@"🐷" mutableCopy];

CFStringTransform((__bridge CFMutableStringRef)(string),
    NULL, kCFStringTransformToUnicodeName, NO);
```

Name Unicode Characters

Tip

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```
@"PIG FACE"
```

Transliterate Between Orthographies

안녕하세요

Transliterate Between Orthographies

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```
NSMutableString *string = [@"오빤 강남스타일" mutableCopy];
CFStringTransform((__bridge CFMutableStringRef)(string),
    NULL, kCFStringTransformToLatin, NO);
```

Transliterate Between Orthographies

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“On OS X v10.4 and later, with CFStringTransform you can also use any valid ICU transform ID defined in the ICU User Guide for Transforms.”

Apple Developer Documentation

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Normalizing Input

hello! こんにちは! สวัสดี! مرحبا! 您好!

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// hello! kon'nichiha! swasdi! mrhba! nin hao!
CFStringLowercase(string, NULL);
```

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                           orthography:nil
                            usingBlock:
  ^(NSString *tag, NSRange tokenRange, NSRange sentenceRange, BOOL *stop)
    {
        if ([tag isEqualToString:NSLinguisticTagWord]) {
         [mutableWords addObject:[string substringWithRange:tokenRange]];
    }
}];
```

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Core Animation

Animation tips

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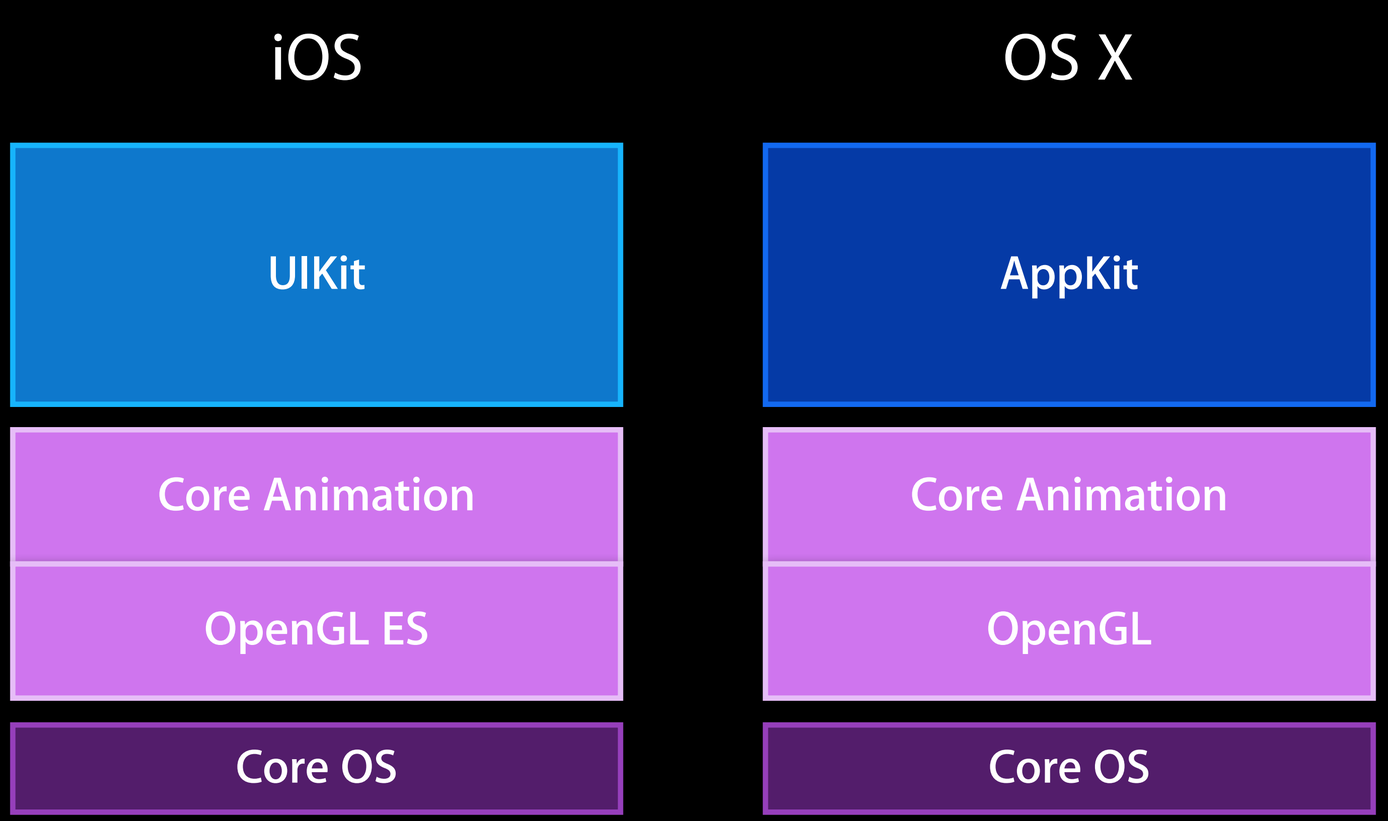
Core Animation



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UIView / NSView

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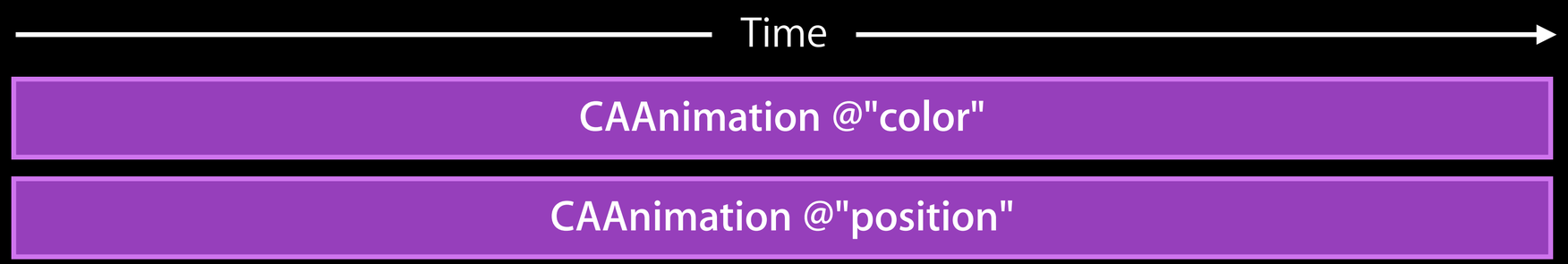

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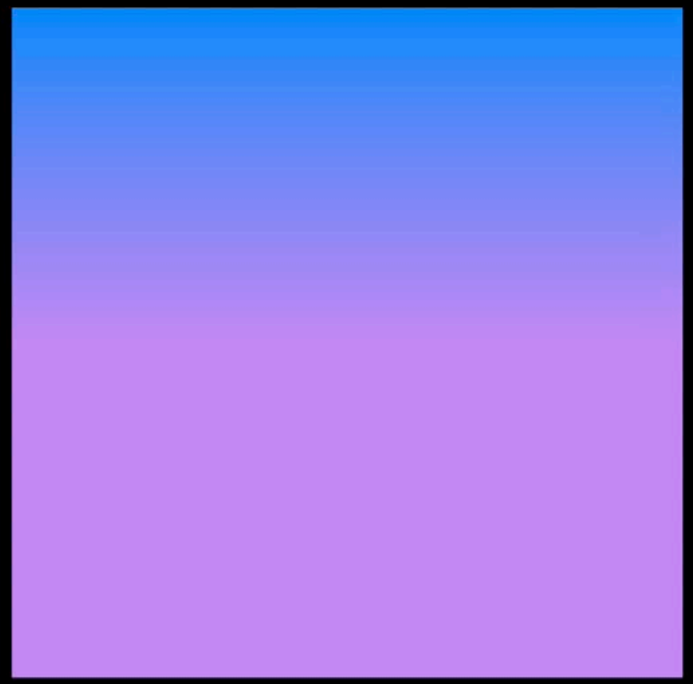

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UIColor *c3 = [UIColor colorWithRed:0.81 green:0.46 blue:0.93 alpha:1.0];
gradient.colors = @[(id)c2.CGColor, (id)c3.CGColor, (id)c3.CGColor];

CABasicAnimation *anim = [CABasicAnimation animationWithKeyPath:@"colors"];
anim.toValue = @[(id)c1.CGColor, (id)c2.CGColor, (id)c2.CGColor];
anim.duration = 4.0;
anim.autoreverses = YES;
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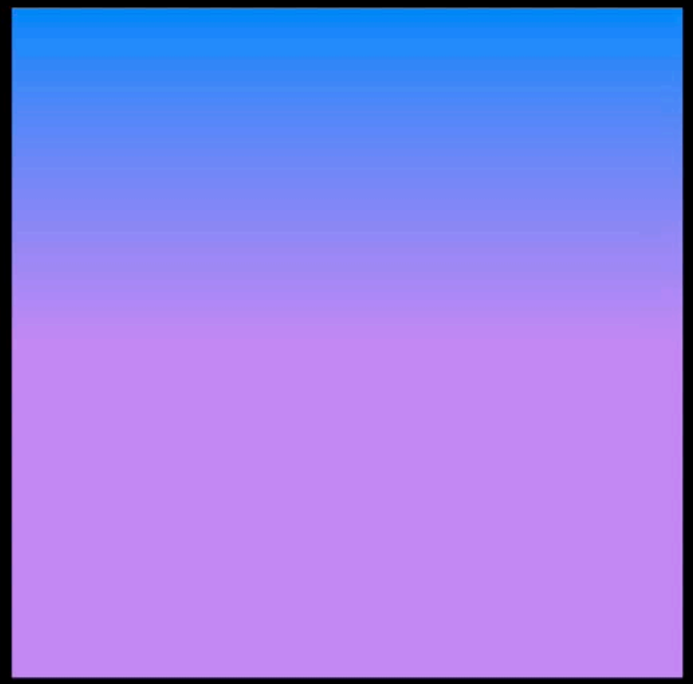

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shapeLayer.path = path1.CGPath;

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CABasicAnimation *anim = [CABasicAnimation animationWithKeyPath:@"path"];
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CAShapeLayer + CAGradientLayer = ?

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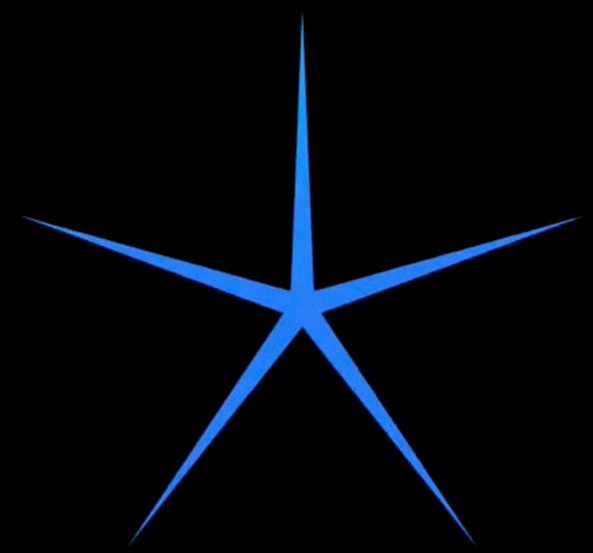

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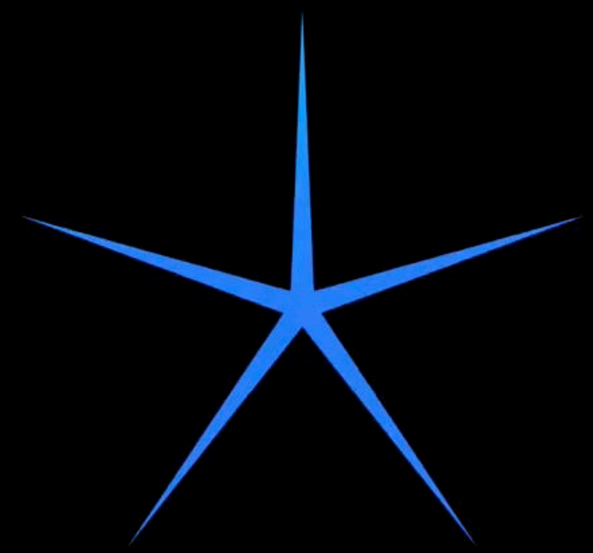

```
self.gradientLayer.mask = shapeLayer;
```

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Interactive animation

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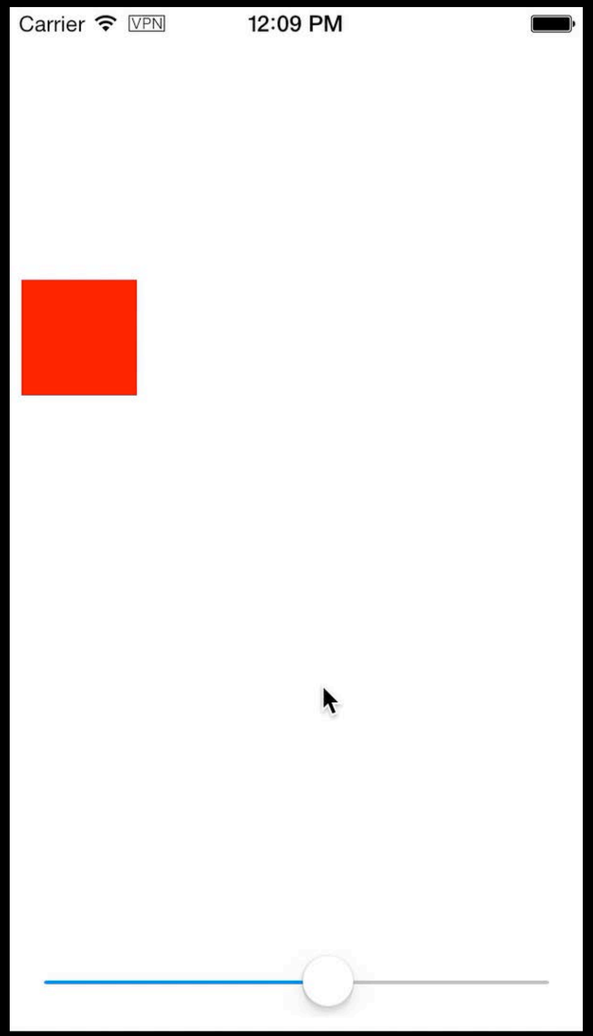

Core Animation

CAMediaTiming for interactive animations

Tip 22

```
#import "MyViewController.h"
#import <QuartzCore/QuartzCore.h>

@interface MyViewController ()

@property (nonatomic, weak) IBOutlet UIView *squareContainer;
@property (nonatomic, weak) IBOutlet UIView *square;
@property (nonatomic, weak) IBOutlet UISlider *slider;

@end
```

Core Animation

CAMediaTiming for interactive animations

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```
- (void)viewDidAppear:(BOOL)animated {
    [super viewDidAppear:animated];
    self.square.layer.speed = 0;

    CGRect rect = self.squareContainer.bounds;
    rect.size.height = CGRectGetMinY(self.slider.frame);
    CGFloat dx = CGRectGetWidth(self.square.frame)/2.0;
    CGFloat dy = CGRectGetHeight(self.square.frame)/2.0;
    CGRect r = CGRectInset(rect, dx, dy);

    CAKeyframeAnimation *animation = [CAKeyframeAnimation
        animationWithKeyPath:@"position"];
    animation.path = [[UIBezierPath bezierPathWithOvalInRect:r] CGPath];
    animation.calculationMode = kCAAnimationPaced;
    animation.speed = 0.25;
    [self.square.layer addAnimation:animation forKey:@"position"];
}
```

Core Animation

CAMediaTiming for interactive animations

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```
- (IBAction)sliderChanged:(id)sender {
    self.square.layer.timeOffset = self.slider.value;
}
```

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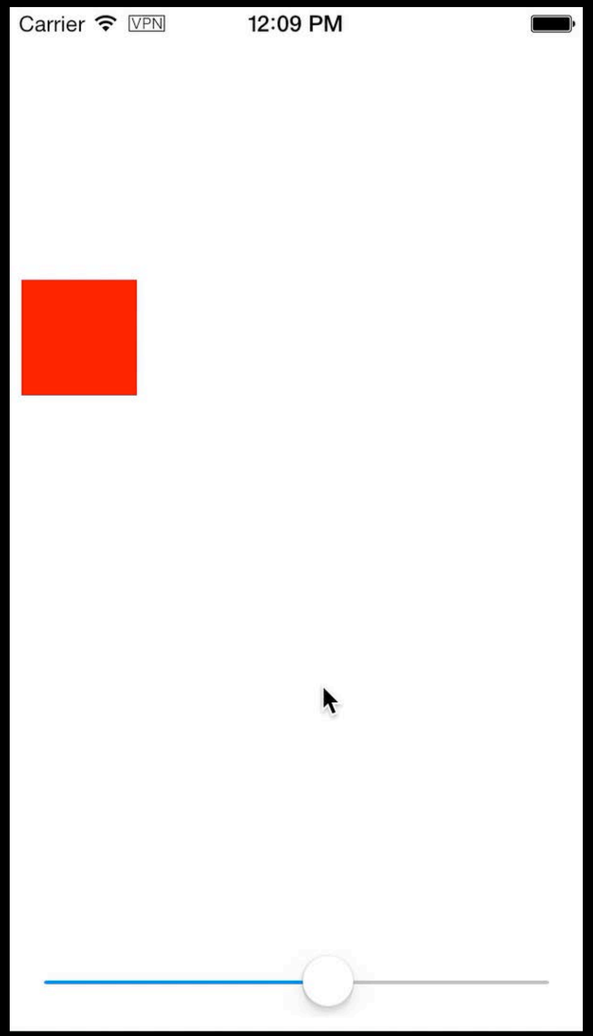

Core Data

Performance tips

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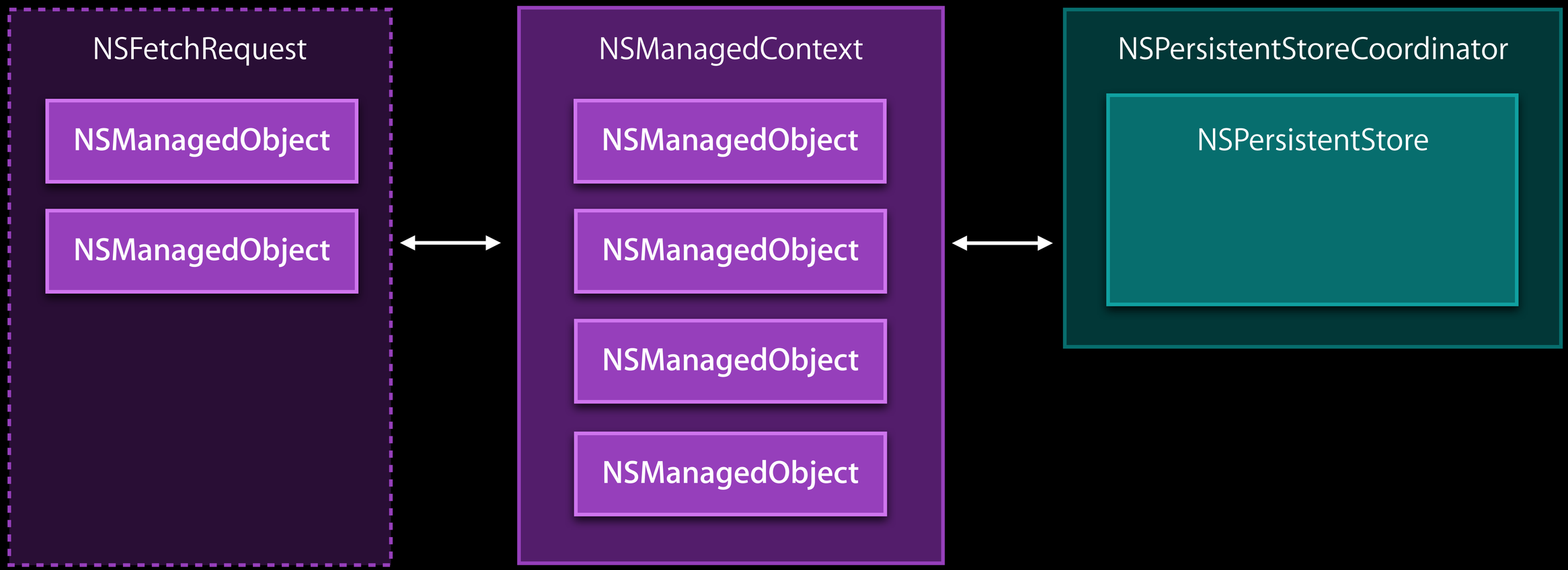
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NSManagedObject
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Core Data

NSPrivateQueueConcurrencyType

Tip

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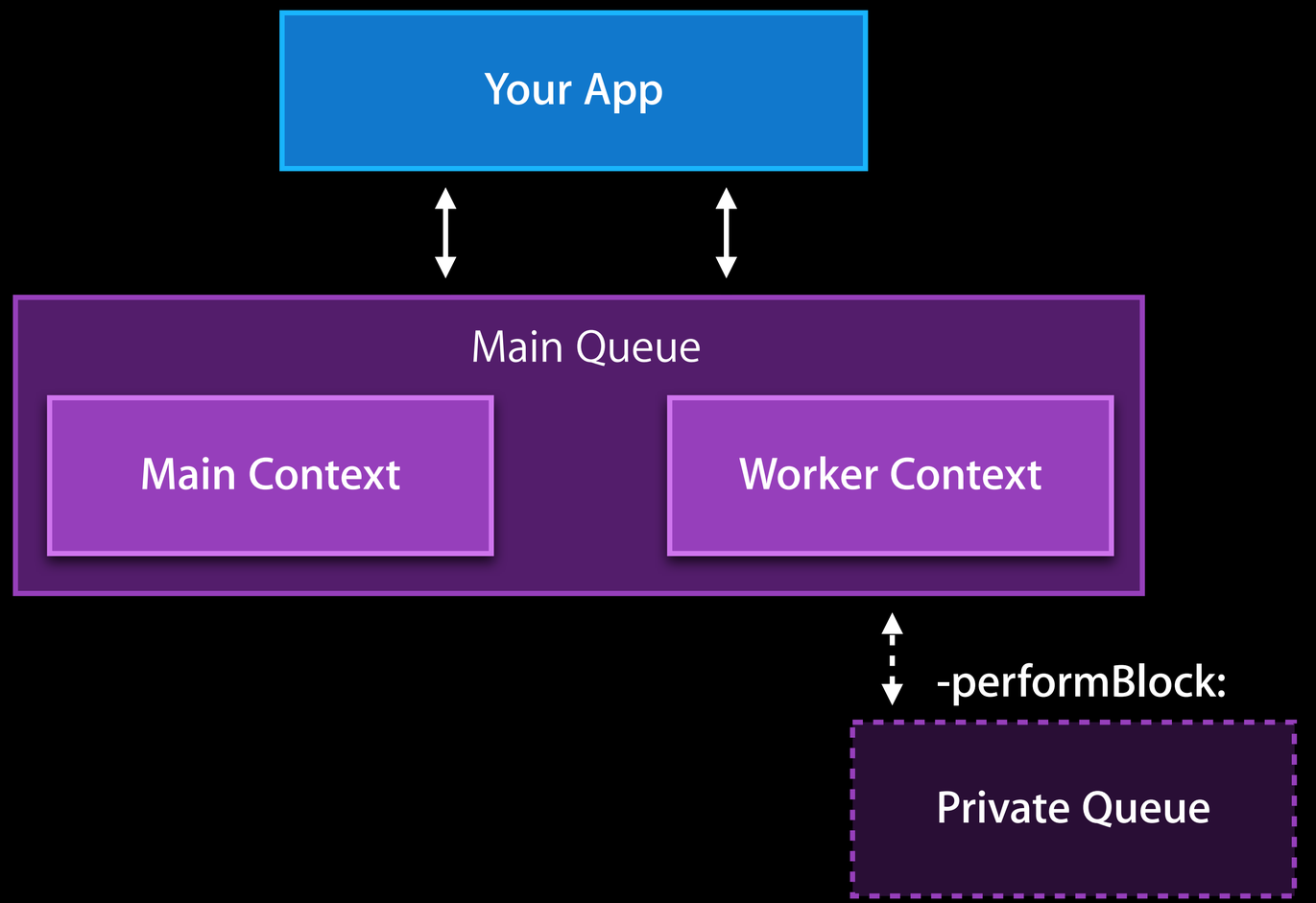

Core Data

Private Queue

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```
NSManagedObjectContext *bgContext;
bgContext = [[NSManagedObjectContext alloc] initWithConcurrencyType:
                                        NSPrivateQueueConcurrencyType];

[context performBlock:^{
    // (add, remove, change objects.)
    saveCompleted = [context save:& saveError];
}];
```

Core Data

Really fast fetches

- Only specific properties

```
NSFetchRequest
fetch.propertiesToFetch = @[@"name", @"phone"];
```

- Only the raw values

```
fetch.resultType = NSDictionaryResultType
```

- Only the object id

```
fetch.resultType = NSManagedObjectIDResultType
```

- Only the count

```
fetch.resultType = NSCountResultType
```

Core Data

Really fast fetches

Tip

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- Work in groups of objects

```
NSFetchRequest
fetch.fetchBatchSize = 100;
```

- Reduce cross-entity fetches

```
fetch.relationshipKeyPathsForPrefetching = @[ @"artist", @"catalog" ];
```

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Really fast fetches

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Core Data Performance Optimization and Debugging

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NSIncrementalStore

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NSPersistentStore

NSIncrementalStore

Custom Store Type

UIKit

Implementation tips

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UICollectionView

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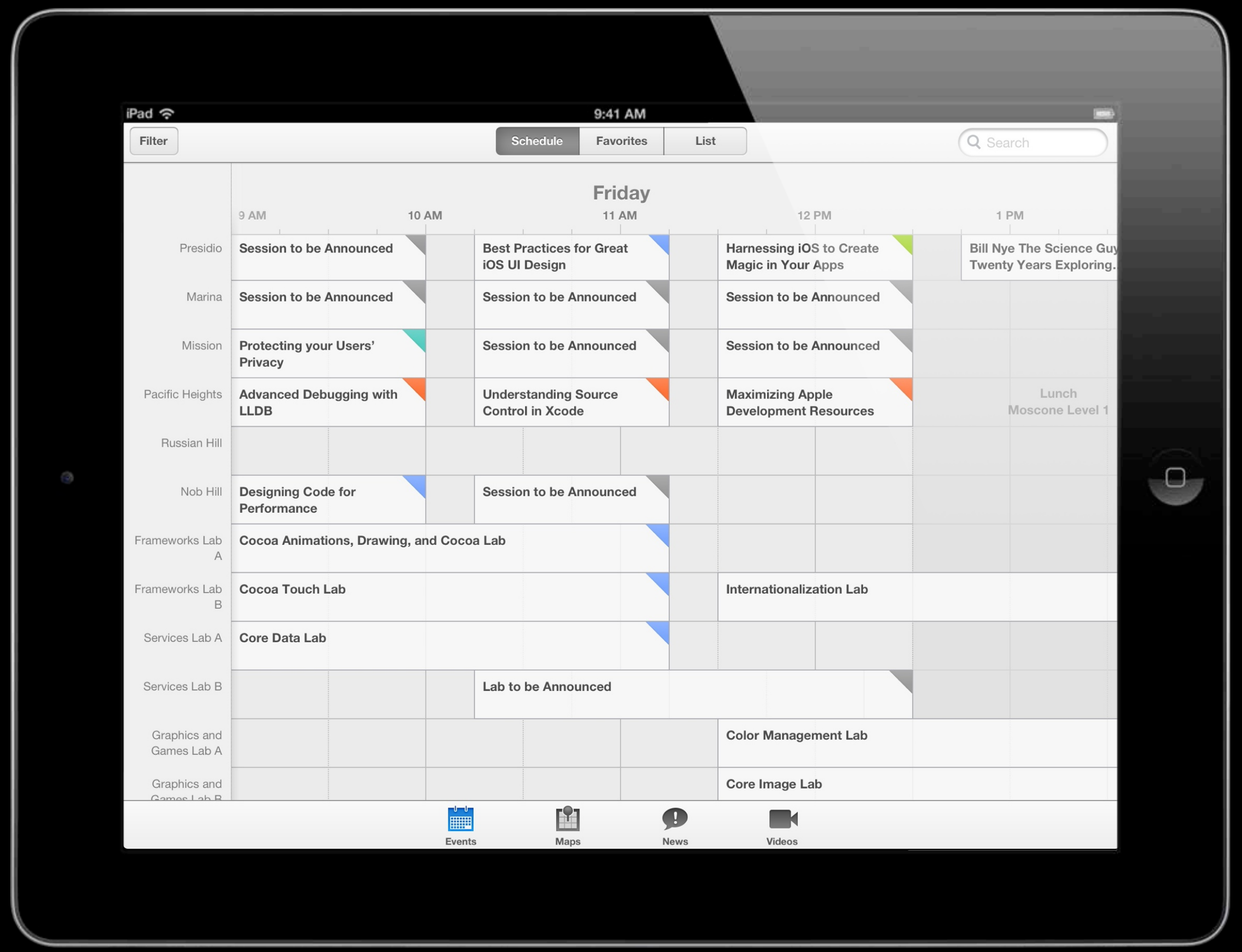

UIKit

UICollectionView

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UICollectionView

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- Grid views, custom layouts
- Similar to UITableView

```
- (NSInteger)numberOfSectionsInCollectionView:(UICollectionView *)cv {
    return self.collectionViewSections.count;
}

- (NSInteger)collectionView:(UICollectionView *)cv
        numberOfItemsInSection:(NSInteger)section {
    return [[self sessionsInSection:section] count];
}
```

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```
- (UICollectionViewCell *)collectionView:(UICollectionView *)cv
                 cellForItemAtIndexPath:(NSIndexPath *)path {

    NSArray *sessions = [self sessionsInSection:path.section];
    WWDCSession* session = sessions[indexPath.item];

    WWDCiPadScheduleSessionView *cell = nil;
    cell = [cv dequeueReusableCellWithReuseIdentifier:@"sessionView"
                                         forIndexPath:path];
    [cell setSession:session];
    return cell;
}
```

AppKit

Modern improvements

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View-based NSTableView

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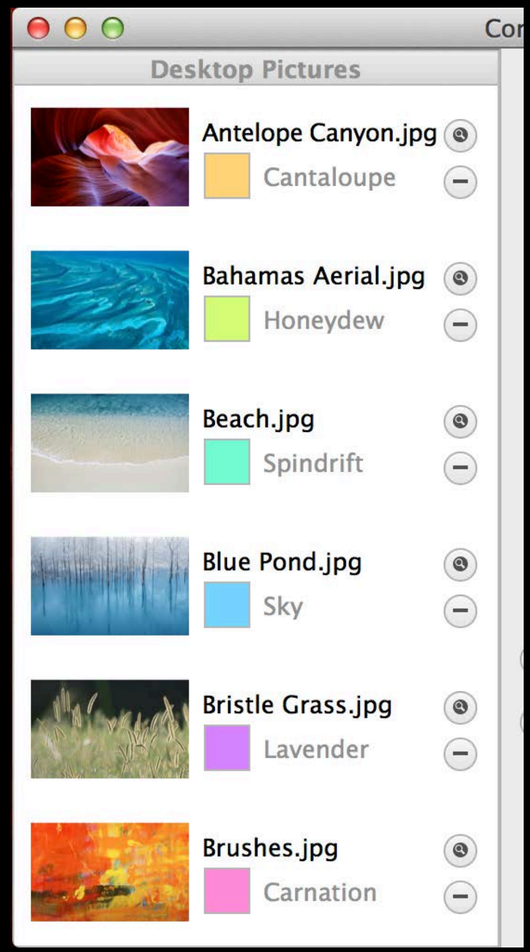

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View-based NSTableView

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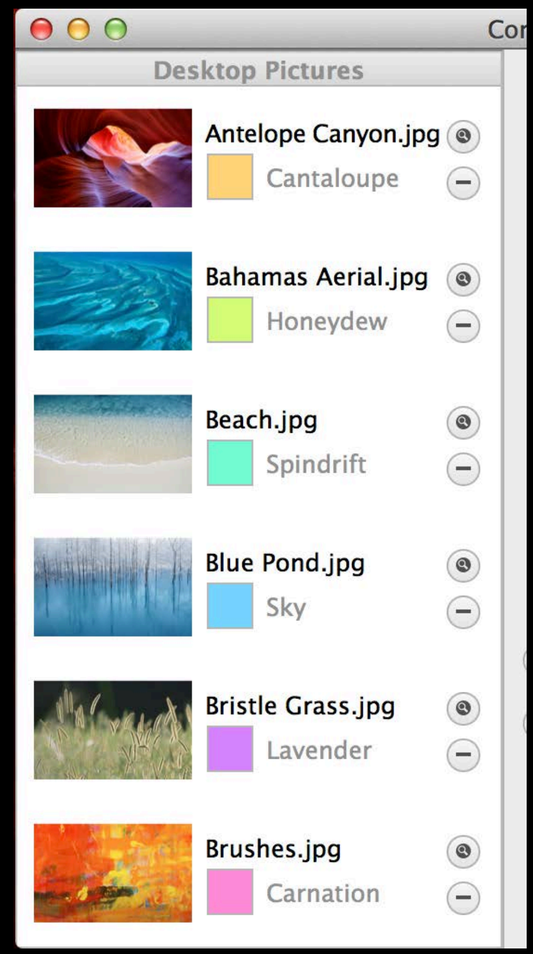
- Similar to UITableView
- Hardware accelerated
- Arbitrary views, no NSCell subclassing!
- Layout in IB
- Animation

```
NSTableViewAnimationEffectFade
NSTableViewAnimationEffectGap
NSTableViewAnimationSlideUp
NSTableViewAnimationSlideDown
NSTableViewAnimationSlideLeft
NSTableViewAnimationSlideRight
```



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```
- (NSInteger)numberOfRowsInTableView:(NSTableView *)tableView {
    return self.objects.count;
}

- (NSTableRowView *)tableView:(NSTableView *)table
                rowViewForRow:(NSInteger)row {
    MyRowView *rowView;
  rowView = [table makeViewWithIdentifier:@"RowView" owner:self];
    return rowView;
}
```

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```
- (NSView *)tableView:(NSTableView *)table
     viewForTableColumn:(NSTableColumn *)col row:(NSInteger)row {

    NSTableCellView *cellView = nil;
    id objectForRow = self.objects[row];
    BOOL isSelected = (row == self.selectedRow);
    if ([self tableView:table isGroupRow:row]) {
        cellView = [table makeViewWithIdentifier:@"GroupView" owner:self];
        cellView.textField.stringValue = [object title];
        cellView.textField.textColor = (isSelected) ? [NSColor blueColor];
        return cellView;
    } else {
        ...
```

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    return cellView;
} else {
    MyGridView *gridView = [table makeViewWithIdentifier:@"Grid"
                                                   owner:self];
    gridView.dataSource = self.gridDataSource;
    gridView.delegate = self;
    return gridView;
}
```

More Information

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